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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE (Case No. 99,216-KK6)

| In applicati | on of: |) |
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| | Roninson et al. | Before the Examiner: |
| Serial No. | 10/520,142 |) |
| | |) Group Art Unit: |
| Internation | al Filing Date: 27 June 2003 |) |
| For: | Reagents and Methods for | Confirmation No.: 5577 |
| | Identifying and Modulating |) |
| | Expression of Tumor Senescence |) |
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PETITION FOR A TWO-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a two-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to Comply mailed February 16, 2006. A check for the amount of \$225.00, which is due, is enclosed. Please charge any additional fee or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2490.

Respectfully submitted,

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